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REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION

Applicant : Kaplan et al.

App. No : 10/584,968

Filed : June 30, 2006

For : PROSTHESIS FOR TREATING VASCULAR BIFURCATIONS

Examiner : Dianne Dornbusch

Art Unit : 3773

Conf # : 9697

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January 5, 2009

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Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

This Request for Continued Examination (RCE) is being made as follows:

- 1. Submission Required under 37 CFR 1.114:
 - (X) Previously submitted:
 - (X) Consider the Amendment/Response under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 previously filed on November 17, 2008.
 - Information Disclosure Statement and PTO/SB/08 Equivalent in 3 total pages (IDS and PTO/SB/08).

2. Fees:

The present application qualifies for Small Entity Status under 37 CFR 1.27.

FEE CALCULATION			
FEE TYPE	FEE CODE	CALCULATION	TOTAL
RCE Fee	2801 (\$405)		\$405
		TOTAL FEE DUE	\$405

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3. Payment:

(X) The amount of \$405 will be paid via EFS Web.

Please charge any additional fees, including any fees for additional extension of time, or credit overpayment to Deposit Account No. 11-1410.

Respectfully submitted,

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Dated: January 5, 2009

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